

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:313
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Express way Projects
Jaunpuria Shri Sukhbir Singh

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to start expressway projects for various destinations from NCT of Delhi and Rajasthan and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the names of such projects which have been given in-principle approval;
- (c) the expenditure proposed to be incurred thereon, project-wise; and
- (d) the time by which the said projects are likely to be completed, project-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 313 ANSWERED ON 23RD MARCH, 2017 ASKED BY SHRI SUKHBIR SINGH JAUNAPURIA REGARDING 'EXPRESS WAY PROJECTS'

(a) to (d) Yes, Madam. Details of expressways under execution by the NHAI are as under:-

(i) Delhi-Meerut Expressway:-Out of four packages, three packages namely (i) Nizamuddin Bridge to UP Border (ii) UP Border to Dasna and (iii) Dasna to Hapur have already been approved at an estimated project cost of Rs. 3159 crores. The fourth package i.e. New Alignment of Delhi Meerut Expressway from Dasna to Meerut, is in the appraisal stage. The scheduled completion period of these packages are 2.5 years from the date of commencement.

(ii) Eastern Peripheral Expressway (EPE):-The project starts near Kundli on NH-1 and ends at Palwal on NH-2. The length of the project is 135 km. The project has been awarded in six packages at civil works cost of Rs. 4418 Crores. The present progress is about 45%. The scheduled date of completion of EPE is March, 2018.

(iii) Delhi-Jaipur Expressway:- Project is in preparation stage. The length of the Expressway is 195 km. The alignment has been finalised and land acquisition process has been started.

(iv) Delhi-Katra Expressway: - Proposals for preparation of project report have been received. The length of the Expressway is about 600 km.

(v) Dwarka Expressway: - The project is in preparation stage. The length of the Expressway is about 30 km.
